

MR. J. JOHN NIDIRY: Are not the Government aware that land-holders are in urgent need of copies of *ozhugus* and *ozhugu* forms and that these copies are very often not given?

MR. R. KRISHNA PILLAI: Government have no information.

MR. J. JOHN NIDIRY: Is there any objection on the part of Government to specifically declare in the rules that *ozhugus* and *ozhugu* forms may be given?

MR. R. KRISHNA PILLAI: I want notice of that question.

Assessment of Jenmom Cherikal lands.

59. MR. J. JOHN NIDIRY: (a) Will the Government be pleased to state how *jenmom cherikal* lands planted with taxable trees, when brought under assessment, are taxed?

(b) Is it under the *Cherikal* Rules dated the 19th Meenagu, 1082, or under the *Karampathippu* Rules dated the 4th Medam, 1088?

(c) In either case, what is the maximum period for which arrears are realisable?

MR. R. KRISHNA PILLAI: (a) *Jenmom cherikal* lands planted with taxable trees will be charged one-half of the full assessment leviable on *pandaravagai cherikals*, i. e., dry *cherikal* rates for the unplanted portions, and tax on the taxable trees for the planted portions as per schedule of settlement rates for trees, allowance being made for the area covered by such trees also according to the settlement scale.

(b) Under the provisions of G. O. No. 949 R., dated the 13th February, 1907.

(c) From the year in which the settlement rates of tax were introduced in the taluk in which the land in question is situate.

MR. J. JOHN NIDIRY: In the Rules referred to in the answer is there not a maximum of 5 years fixed?

MR. R. KRISHNA PILLAI: Of course, under the *Karampathippu* Rules, there is a maximum of 5 years.

DEPUTY PRESIDENT: He is entitled to an answer in regard to the maximum period in each case.

MR. J. JOHN NIDIRY: Is there not a provision to that effect in the *Cherikal* Rules also?

MR. R. KRISHNA PILLAI: There is no maximum, so far as *cherikals* are concerned.

MR. J. JOHN NIDIRY: I want to know whether there is any rule to the effect that not more than 5 years' arrears should be realised in the case of *cherikal* lands.

MR. R. KRISHNA PILLAI: I do not remember that there is any such rule.

Enquiry in Karampathippu Cases.

60. MR. J. JOHN NIDIRY: (a) Will the Government be pleased to state whether there are any rules of procedure regarding the enquiry to be held in *karampathippu* cases?